

woman thought she must certainly die,
"Favorite Prescription" she happened to try,
wonder its praises so longly they speak,
grew better at once and was well in a week.

The torturing pains and distressing servousness which accompany, at times certain forms of "female weakness," yield like magic to Dr. Plerce's Favorite Prescription. It is purely vegetable, perfectly harmless, and adapted to the delicate organization of woman. It allays and subdues the nervous symptoms and relieves the pain accompany ing functional and organic troubles.

It's a legitimate medicine-an invigerating, restorative tonic, a soothing and strengthening nervine, and a posi-tive remedy for "female weaknesses" and ailments. All functional disturb-ances, irregularities, and derangements are cured by it. There's nothing like it in the way it acts—there's nothing like it in the way it's sold. It's guaranteed to give satisfaction in every case, or the money paid for it is promptly

Read the guarantee on the wrapper. You lose nothing if it doesn't help you-but it will.

BETTER INSANE.

A Physicians Certificate to That Effect Filed With the Court.

In the case of Ohio against Jacob Better, charged with having perjured himself while giving evidence in the Maxwell case, a suggestion of the insanity of the defendant has been filed with the court. Attorney O. C. Pinney for the defense asks companying the suggestion is a certificate from Dr. Jamin Strong, a member of the public health department of Cleveland, and formerly connected with an insane asylum. Dr. Strong says, "I made an examination of Jacob Better and find him to be defective in both his physical and mental corresponding The

and mental organization. The said Jacob Better is mal-formed and partially developed in body, and a mental examination discloses the fact that he possesses a weak and unstable brain, partially caused by arrest of development in early life and partly from an injury to his head when a child. His memory is imperfent, he is unreliable and important in statement and in view of these facts, I am clearly of the opinion that he is of unsound mind from imbe-

cility."
The letter is addressed to Hon. Judge Taylor.

TWO JURIES

Drawn in Probate Court to Assess Days ages by Reason of Street Improve

ments,

In the case of the city of Canton against George Zerbe and Christopher Baker, the following jury has been drawn to assess damages resulting from the widening of Navarre street:

Andrew Bobertson, Sandy,
Harry Mullon, Lawrence,
Barney Bissler, Alliance,
J. K. McDowell, Jackson,
D. B. Pocock, Massillon,
Olvin V. Lotz, Oanaburg,
A. E. Hawkins, Washington,
Peter Schollenberger, Lake,

Peter Schollenberger, Lake. Thomes Ferguson, Canton, Charles Garrgues, Massillon, Harvey Ebie, Nimishillen,

MADISON STREET JURY. In the case of the city of Canton against Carrie Bear, the following jury has been drawn to assess damages with reference to the opening of Madison street, in

to the opening of Madiso Canton; Samuel Grimes, Alliance. Jacob Smith, Pike, Conrad Shaler, Tuscarawas, Thomas Cassleman, Alliance, W. W. Linerode, Nimishillen. J. O. Bowman, Pike. Madison Farmer, Parls. Nathan Aubrim, Washington. Joseph Lichtenwalter, Jackson. Washington Miller, Marlboro. Ira B. Bryan, Marlboro. ob Gross, Bethlehem.

WANTS TO DIE. Because His Wife Skipped to Live With

An Alliance special says: The neighbor ing village of New Baltimore comes to the front with a sensation. It is a story of love and happiness which, however, ends with an unexpected departure of the wife for South Dakota. The parties are Henry Fox and wife, who lived together for six years. The wife lately discovered that her affections had been directed in the wrong channel. Last week while the husband was away the wife took her two children and left for parts upknown. The husband kept the affair quiet until he learned that his wife had gone to Dakota

Death of John M Butler.

to meet an old time admirer. Fox since

has carried on at a terrible rate and wants

John M. Butler a prominent citizen of Jackson township died suddenly with apople xy last week at the age of fifty-nine years. He had been suffering with the grippe but was around again and was talking to a friend when he arose and godig to a friend when he arose and going to the door dropped to the floor and died in ten minutes. Deceased was born in Lancaster county, Panusylvania, and came to Ohio when six years of age. For the past fifteen years be has been during the greater part of the time a holder a public office. He was well known er a public office. He was well known and liked by a large circle of acquaint-ances. The remains were buried in Mill-brook cemetery at Canal Fulton, last Thursday, Rev. Habn officiating at the

That Wonderful Success

Of Hood's Sarsaparilla as a blood purifler entitles it to your confidence. No other preparation has such a record of cures of Scrofule, Salt Rheum, Rheumatism or other blood diseases. To try it is to know its merit. Be sure to get Hood's Sarsa-

For a general family cathartic we confi-ently recommend Hood's Pills. They should be in every home medicine chest.

New School District.

A petition has been filed in Probate court by Joseph Miller, Alonzo Smith and others, asking for an additional school district in Perry township, to be made by parts of other districts. A Board of Commissioners will be appeared to meet April 18 to investigate and report to the

My daughter says your Swamp-Root has done her more good than all the medicine she has ever taken. She has taken hun-dreds of dollars worth. It has cured me of kidney and urinary difficulties. Jonathan Norris, Wolf, Ohio, For sale by Durbia, Wright & Co.

UNREQUITED

Was the Love of Young Selan Shutz

For the Dashing Widow, Mrs. Belle Snyder.

After Paying Attentions to He For Three Years,

Shutz Gets Her Into a Room at Hotel.

And Compelling Her to Stand in Corner Facing Him.

He Draws a Keen Edged Razon Across His Throat.

Romantic Tale Setting Forth the Infatuation of a Youth of Twenty-One Years for a Widow of Thirty Years and Five Children-Shutz's Wound Not Necessarily Fatal.

Scientists have discussed infatuation in all its bearings but are unable to deter-mine just what it is. It is a condition not a theory. The best definition of infatua-tion which is at hand, is that it is a some-thing which makes one make a fool of

thing which makes one make a fool of one'sself. This is generally accepted as the proper definition.

A case in point and one which has been aired before is that of Selan Shniz, who by his infatuation for a woman who is about 10 years older than he is, has occasioned 10 years older than he is, has occasioned his parents great trouble. Matters reached a climax when Monday evening the young fellow attempted to commit suicide in the presence of the object of his adoration, Mrs. Belle Snyder, of Navarre station on the C. L. & W. railroad. Mrs. Snyder's husband died about 4 years ago leaving her with five children. The oldest is now 14 and the youngest 6. She lived in a house which was just across the street from the Shutz residence in Bolivar. About 3 years ago the boy, who was then about 18 years of age, formed an attachment for her and it was

boy, who was then about 18 years of age, formed an attachment for her and it, was kept up until last night.

Monday afternoon Selan Shutz went to B. F. Schweir's hotel in West Tuscarawas street and asked for a room, His father J. J. Shutz has lately removed to Canton and taken possession of the Clark hotel. Young Shutz stated to Mr. Schweir that the rooms were all taken at his father's place and he desired to get a room in which he might see a lady, with whom he desired to converse concerning a very important matter. A room

with whom he desired to converse concerning a very important matter. A room was reserved for him, but heddid not occupy it until about 7 c'clock, or perhaps 7:30 o'clock. At 6 o'clock he was standing in front of the Schweirs place and then he walked away. That was the last anyone saw of bim until after the attempt upon his life had been made.

Edward A. Salter's rooms on the third floor across the hall from the room occupied by young Shutz. About 8:30 o'clock he heard screams in the room opposite him, and heard a woman's voice exclaiming, "Let me out, for God's sake let me out of here." He tried to force the door but, it was locked. Cora Montgomery who is employed at the hotel, ran up stairs, having been on the second floor. Schweir also came up and they succeeded in getting in through another room and in getting in through another room and got the folding doors open between the wo rooms.

CORA MONTGOMERY

who was the first person in the room, was who was the first person in the room, was interviewed about 10 o'clock Monday night by a News-Democrat reporter. "I was on the secondfloor," she said, "and heard screams up stairs. I thought it was Frank Rukenbrod who has been sick, and I ran up stairs. The voice came from Frank's room, but he had left the house. I bessed a sevene he had left the house. I heard a woman in the room. She was hammering on the doors and making a great outery. I heard her scream: "For God's sake open the door. There's murder in here."

door. There's murder in here."
"Who is there" I said.
"It makes no difference
who is in here," said the woman, "I want
jout. Open this door."
I then ran down stairs and called Mr.
Schwier. We got into the adjoining room
and opened the folding doors into the
other room. As we opened the door the
woman came out and sat down on the be'
in the other room. As she passed me I in the other room. As she passed me

said: 'What does this mean?''
'He has cut his throat,'' she said.
T asked her why and she said: "He fool. ed me down here because he has my gold watch, and this is what he has done." went into the room. The young man was standing near the bed. I went up to him and caught hold of him"
"Lay me down, I want to die," said he, "Good by to all."

"Good by to all."
"What did you do this for?" I asked,
"It was all for sorrow." he said. He repeated it several times. "He, then laid down on the bed and the blood poured from a big gash in his throat in a great stream. I went out into the other room and said to the woman; "What was this lone for?" She answered, "I won't tell

The woman had on a plush coat which was buttoned. She had on a hat and a veil at the time she came out of the room

THE WOMAN DISAPPEARED."

In the meantime Shutz was lying on the bed with blood pouring from a cut in his throat. Drs. Schwartz and Fleck were summoned and soon stopped the flow of blood, The young man had made a bad out at cutting his throat, as he severed only a large vessel in the front part of the throat. His windpipe was not severed, and his jugular vein was not touched. He evidently did not know where to cut. He had suffered much loss of blood, which is the worst feature of his trouble. His throat will get well if he recovers from the loss of blood and from the shock and from

Thomas Bianford's room is separated from the room occupied by Shutz and the woman by folding doors. He was in his room and heard them talking for some time, but paid no attention. Then he heard Shutz say "Good-bye," and the next moment the woman screamed.

SHROUDED IN MYSTERY.

While the wants of the young man were While the wants of the young man were being attended to, Mrs. Snyder, for it was she who was in the room, made good her escape. John Weaver of Carroll county was in the house, having been to see a lady in the building. He was standing at the foot of the stairs leading to the third floor, when a woman came down the stairs. She was very much agitated and stairs. She was very much agitated and lost her balance at the foot of the stairs. Weaver caught her and assisted her to regain control of herself. "How do you get out of this house?"

she said. Weaver asked her what was wrong, but she only said that she wanted to get out of the house and would give no satisfac-tory answer about any thing. He showed

her the way out.

Meanwhile it had not yet been decided by those who had come to investigate the case, whether Shuiz had cut his own throat or whether the woman had done the deed. A News-Democrat reporter was at the scene among the first, arriving with the police officers who had been immediately notified. An examination of with the police officers who had been immediately notified. An examination of the room and the position of Shuts when found was made. It was only theory so far, as Cora Montgomery, woman like, had become prostrated. Officer Joe Wielandt found the instrument with which the deed had been committed. It was lying at the foot of the bed, and was an ordinary razer. It was covered with blood

dinary razor. It was covered with blood ordinary razor. It was covered with blood near the point.

This threw no light on the case as the razor could have been thrown under the bed either by Shutz or the woman. The coat and vest were removed from the gasping young man, and officer Brisbin found in one of the pockets of the vest, a small vial containing % of an cunce of

FOR HIS LIFE.

strychnine. The police took possession of both the razor and the deadly drug. Newspaper men and the police were Newspaper men and the police were still at sea though every indication pointed towards suicide. The News-Demourant man saw Cora Montgomery at her home at the corner of Lynch and Ninth streets, and secured the preceding interview. This threw some light on the case, and the attempted murder theory was exploded.

MRS. SNYDER INTERVIEWED.

It was I o'clock a, m, when the News-Demograt man first saw Mrs. Snyder. She was inclined to talk. In fact she even gave her age, 39 years, with only an excusably short hesitation. The history of the case was given by her under the pressure of a close crossfire of questions. She denied much and admitted considerable. Connected, the history of young Shutz's infatuation for the widow is in substance given in the following interview:

"My husband died about four years ago," said Mrs. Snyder, "leaving me the care of five children. The eldest is now 14 years of age and the younger 6 years of age. We lived at Bolivar, just across the street from J. J. Shutz. Seian often came to our house to see my oldest boy. They often played together. He was at my house a great deal. He was engaged at herding cattle at that time."

"Wasn't there some other attraction at your house other than your boy?" was asked.

"Nc. he came to see the boy," said Mrs.

"No, he came to see the boy," said Mrs.

Snyder.
"Isn't it a fact that he came to your house and frequently remained all night?" was asked.
"He never stayed all night" she an-

"He never stayed all light side all swered.
"Well, away into the night."
"No, he sometimes stayed a little while and talked to me. Sometimes he stayed after all the children had gone to bed. I know there was some talk that he had frequently stayed all night at the house, and that I had packed his dinner bucket the next day, but I have proof that this is not true. I don't know anything about the current report that he had trouble with his family on my account and kept with his family on my account and kept his father at bay with a revolver when he wanted to remonstrate with him for com-ing to see me. I know they said we were intimate, but we were not."

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There were many reports current in Bolivar cencerning Mrs. Snyder and young Shutz, and there is evidence sufficient to substantiate them. It appears that Shutz gave up his job and stayed around Mrs. Snyder's house for about six months. He was with her constantly and his parents could do nothing with him. On the subject of Mrs. Snyder he was practically insane. Mrs. Snyder stated that she left Bolivar on his account and moved to a farm near Navarre station. "You would hardly leave Bolivar in order to get your boy away from Shutz" sug-

"You would hardly leave Bolivar in order to get your boy away from Shutz" suggested the News-Democrat reporter.

She hardly thought she would. This was evidence that she and Shutz were very thick at one time, but she wanted to break off the intimacy, not so much on his account, but on account of the interference of his parents and the many compromising stories afloat. She lived on the farm at Navarre until a few days ago.

A NAVARRE EPISODE.

"Two months ago," continued Mrs. Snyder, "Shutz came to my house at 10 o'clock in the evening, I heard him outside on the porch but did not open the door, I was frightened and did not know who he was. There was no one in the house but the children and myself. Soon II heard some one coming down stairs. He had climbed up a post to the roof of the porch climbed up a post to the root of the porch opened an upstairs window and came into the house in that way. My boy was in the hall and I stepped behind the door. I heard him speak to the boy and ask for me. I then knew who he was and I escaped out of a side door. He had a revolver in his hand and when he could not find me he went to a mirror, stood before it and

SHATTERED IT WITH BULLETS.

I stayed at a neighbor's house all night and he left about 11 o'clock. I came to Canton last Wednesday and on Thursday afternoon my brother passed Shutz' house in East Tuscarawas street. Shuzsaw my boy who was with my brother, and by that he knew I was in the city. He 'came out the same afternoon to see me. He was all right then but I knew he was downhearted. On Sunday afternoon he came again During his visit to my house at Navarre, the time he broke the mirror with bullets, he took my watch from my dressing case. The watch belonged to my husband when he was living and is valued at about \$40. He said he would get it for me. Monday East Tuscarawas street. Shuzsaw my He said he would get it for me. Monday evening he came to the house about six o'clock and said it I would go with him he would get me my watch and some other jewelry which belongs to me. While I was dressing he showed my brother the bottle of poison and said he would kill

himself,"
This part of Mrs. Snyder's story was corroborated by Mr. Marks.
"My brother did not inform me of this," continued the woman, "or I would not have gone out with him. We walked together to the room where the trouble occurred."

HOW IT WAS DONE.

"When we went into the room we say down for a few moments. He did not seem inclined to talk much. After a shor time he said he was going down stairs. I supposed he was going after my jewelry which he had said he had at home. This was about half past seven o'clock. In a few moments he came back with a bottle of wine and a bottle of brandy. He want-ed me to drink but I refused. He then commenced to drink as rapidly as he could. I tried to dissuade him but he would not

listen to me.

"I brought you up here to kill you and I am then going to kill myself," he said. I still tried to persuade him to keep quiet. He finally gave up the idea of killing me but still insisted that he would kill himself. He soon became drunk. Then he said he was going to kill himself. He took a pen knife from his pocket but I persuaded him to put it away. Then he threatened to take the poison but did not. He then took a razor out of his pocket. I knew he sten to me. ed to take the poison but did not. He then took a razor out of his pocket. I knew he was determined to end his life but I could do nothing as I was afraid he would kill

"Go over in that corner," said he. I obeyed him and went over. Now ake my hat in your right hand and stand there or I will kill you, too.

stand there or I will kill you, too."

I did as he requested and took his hat in
my right hand and stood facing
him. He opened the razor and stood
near the bed. Then he said, "Good-bye,
Belle; good-bye, everybody," and drew
the razor across his throat. He then threw the razor back under or towards the bed and fell over. I don't know what hap-pened next. It seemed a long time before I got out of the room. A woman talked to me as I went out. I sat down on the bed in the other room and she talked with

ne there." Mrs. Snyder denied that Shutz had ever made any improper advances to her, or did make any Monday evening in the room before he attempted to kill nimself. Shutz showed his brother Will a memoranda in the afternoon, showing that she owed him between \$300 and \$400. She said she didn't owe him a cent, nor had she ever given him any or he given her any money. She said that once she paid his fare from Navarre to Canton, as he was out of funds, but that was the only money transaction that ever took place between

Shutz rested well Monday night, and Shuiz rested well Monday night, and will get well. He was unconscious all night. No fears are now entertained by his physicians, though he is not entirely out of danger, as the loss of blood was great. Had the physicians delayed their arrival a few minutes longer he would have bl d to death. It is thought by his father that he will now let the widow alone and get over his foolish infatnation, as he must see, that at present at least. as he must see, that at present at least, his love is unrequited. It is stated that at one time he came to Canton to get a marriage license with her consent, but could not get the consent of his parents, conse-quently could not get the license. He will be 21 years old in May.

A Legal Controversy. The case of Benjamin Werner against Goib and Sholienberger is on trial before Judge McCarty and a jury. Shollenberger claims that he was surely for notes valued at \$700, but that he is not liable as the notes were extended without his knowledge. Werner claims that both Geib and Shollenberger are liable as there was no extension made whatever.

Charles Hawkins on Trial Before Judge Taylor,

On the Charge of Murdering Annie Lacey.

The Work of Securing a Jury for the Case.

Those Who Were Summoned as Jurors-A Brief Review of the Case Which is Familiar to News-Democrat Readers.

Speciators began to put in an appearance in court room No. 2, before 9 o'clock this morning for the purpose of hearing the testimony in the case of the State of Ohio against Charles Hawkins, who is charged with murder in the first degree. Readers of the News-Democrat are familiar with the case. It will be remembered that Hawkins killed Anna Lacy, a girl with whom he was in love. All of the parties are colored and the shooting attracted considerable attention at the time, After shooting the girl Hawkins tried to take his own life and it was thought he had succeeded. When the officers and reporters arrived he was unconscious, and t was the general opinion that he was dead. Shortly afterwards he commenced to revive and was removed to the jail. He soon completely recovered from his injuries and claimed he was playing possum, as he feared he would be lynched.

Judge Taylor was occupied with another case and consequently nothing was done during the morning session with the Hawkins case.

At the opening of court this afternoon the trial of Charles Hawkins was commenced. The defendant was in court seated beside his attorney, John M. Myers. He appears to be none the worse for his long confinement and seems to be in as good spirits as would be possible for a man who is on trial for his life. The prisoner is attired in a neat suit of grey, with woolen shirt and nicely polished shoes. It was expected that Judge Frease would assist in the defense but on account of his health he did not feel equal to the task. The state is represented by Prosecutor Bow while the prisoner's interests are in the hands of John M. Myers.

The prisoner is without a friend on earth and the only hope he has for life is in the effort that may be made by his attorney. At 1:45 o'clock Sheriff Krider called the names of thirty-nine men who had been summoned as jurors. Thirty-five responded and aspecial venire was issued for one juror, Henry Hafer of the Sixth ward Canton, was chosen.

The following are the jurors who re sponded as their names were called.

Lewis Hershey, Jacob Bachtel, Wm. Lamborn, Andrew Hoffmaster, W. W. Holibaugh, Ira Bryan. Adam Steffe. Horace Sponsellor. Henry Baltzer. George Harmon.
Jacob Braucher.
Wm. Fitzgerald.
James Ackleson.
Rudolph Bauboff. John B. Dewees Thomas Turnbull. Henry Jolly. Andrew Feight. Simon Williman. Joseph McCurdy. Henry Richard. Frank Cumin. Jacob Swartz, William Shoe, Peter Lawrence. John Hollwacker. Edwin W. Wheeler. Adam Howard. John Wagner, John A. Mott.

Adraham Sponseller. It was impossible to find Juror Henry Hafer of Canton, hence the trial, under the law, could not be proceeded with. The court therefore adjourned until 9 o'clock Thursday morning.

STILL IMPROVING.

Young Selan Shutz Will be Around in a Flow Days.

A NEWS-DEMOCRAT reporter called at the Schweir restaurant Wednesday afternoon for the purpose of securing information concerning the condition of Selan Shutz the young man who endeavored Monday night to end his existence with a rezor. Upon going to the room on the third floor where the youth is lying, the father of the would be suicide appeared at the door and in answer to the reporter's question stated that the boy was doing well and would recover all right. He is perfectly rational and was up and walked around in the room this morning. His father is attending him and he refused to admit the reporter or to allow him to talk to the boy. Mr. Shutz said he had not questioned his son as to whether he was sorry for his conduct or not or whether he still wished to shuffle off into another world. He said he understood the circumstances that led the boy up to the act, as have been heretofore related, and he did not believe in stirring the matter up further. Mrs. Snyder is still at her brother's house in Hiner street, awaiting develop-

ments. GREATEST FAILURE ON RECORD. 879,000.

This is the Day. For the opening of the Great Bankrupt Assignee Clothing Sale, in the large building, 27 East Tuscarawas street, will be resented to the people of Canton and viinity, one of the largest bankrupt assignee ale of clothing that has ever been known in this city. This stock contains nothing but the best and latest styles of fine tailor made clothing, by order of H. Sloman, who has failed. \$79,000 worth of fine goods will be sold at retail forty per cent less than actual values. This sale commences tomorrow (Thursday) at 9 s. m. and will last for a snort time only. Bear in mind that this is no humbug, no fake, but a bouafide bankrupt stock, and money must be raised. In order to give the public an idea of the wonderful bargains to be had here a few prices are mentioned: 63 cents will buy men's good strong working pants —\$1,84 will buy men's good heavy cassi-mere pants; \$2 17 will buy men's all wool dress pants, a selection of thirty styles— \$4.33 will buy men's good serviceable

\$4.33 will buy men's good serviceable heavy cassimere suits, your choice of twelve different styles — \$5.96 will buy men's first class business suits, twenty different styles to select from—\$7.48 will buy a fashionable dress suit in cassimere, cheviot and worsted, sack, bouble breasted, cutaway—\$9.60 will buy an extra fine imported clay worsted, diagonal, corksorew, or wide wale suit. We have them in sacks, three and four button cutaways in all sizes—\$10.00 will buy a A. I fancy worsted

diagonal or cork screw Prince Albert Suit satin faced, equal to custom make; 3 cents will buy men's fine embroidered suspenders 1,000 pairs to select from; \$3,54 will buy a first class stylish boys' suit, age thirteen to nineteen years. A large variety of fine all wool children suits to be sold at a great sacrifice. Thousands of other bargains that cannot be mentioned here will be so'd in proportion to the above named prices. It will pay you to call and judge for yourself. Bear in mind this is No Humbug, but a Bons Fide Bankrupt Assignee Sale, the greatest that has ever taken place, and that it will last a short time only. Remember the day and date Thursday, March 17th, 9 a. m. The sale commences at 27 East Tuscarawas street, next door to Biechele's tin store Canton, O. Take Notice all goods sold at private sale. No auction. Sales rooms open from 8 a. m. until 9 at night. Saturday until 11 at night.

Any person coming a distance of five miles or more and purchasing the amount of \$10 or more will receive their car fare.

A MODERN SODOM.



Rev. Charles H. Parkhurst, D. D., the Pastor of the Madison Square Presby-terian Church, New York, Makes Another Assault Upon the City Author-

Apparently, Rev. Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst, of Madison Square Presbyterian Church, New York City, does not intend to stop his exposures of the corruptions prevalent in New York City and winked at by the municipal authorities. The doctor has personally visited the saloons, dives and houses of ill-fame and finds them in full blast on Sundays as at other times and with the knowledge and sanction of the police. He declared that the publication of the lives of city officials would verge on obscene literature. He has secured a battery of affidavits and evidence upon which he demands that the Police, the District Attorney, the Grand Jury and the courts shall act in a practical manner. When Dr. Parkhurst first went to District Attorney Nicoll, that gen-tleman sent him to the Grand Jury, and the Grand Jury sent him to—that is, they took no action. Now Dr. Parkhurat is resolved that the evidence shall be treated with something more than inaction and passive denials. The dives and the re-sorts may desire to be ignored, but he desorts may desire to be ignored, but he de not, and proposes to be very troublesome to the corruptors of society and public morals. The result of his crusade will be watched with interest throughout th

THE OCTOPUS CHAMPION.



PROZESS: PRESS NOV. -John D. Rockefeller, Magnate of the Gigantic Oil Trust.

In consequence of hostile legislation in Ohio, it is announced that the Standard Oil Trust is to be dissolved. The chief of this far reaching combination and richest of the oil kings is John D. Rockefeller whose income is \$20,000,000 a year.

The president of the Standard Oil Trust John D. Rockefeller, was educated in Cleveland, Ohio, where thirty years ago he was the proprietor of a small refinery. From this beginning he has achieved his enormous wealth and power. He spends tinued to speak for an hour. a greater part of his time in New York, where the offices of the company are situated, and in other places besides Cleveland, but is still superintendent of the Sunday school of one of the Baptist churches of that city, attending its sessions whenever he can do so. He has long been an earnest member of the Baptist denomination, to the interests of which he contributes liberally, Mr. Rockefeller has made a splendid contribution, said to be millions of dollars, to the Baptist University at Chicago, placing this institution far beyond the possibility of its being pinched for funds. He is a quiet, retiring man, domestic in his habits, and the head of a household which is said to be a model in its simplicity of life.

You Should Read This.

If you are sick and have not been helped, why do you not write a full description of your case to the great specialist in curing nervous and chronic diseases, Dr. Greene, of 35 W. 14th street, New York, known everywhere as the discoverer of Greene' Nervura, and who is without doubt the most successful physician in the cure of all long standing complaints? Consultation in all cases is entirely free, personally or by mail. Thousands consult him by letter and he returns an answer to

all, perfectly explaining their diseases, giving advice, etc., without charge. His success in curing diseases by his marvellous vegetable remedies is simply wonderful, and he has made a specialty of the cure of persons at a distance through letter correspondence and treatment, this manner thousands of people be been and thousands more are being cured, and we should advise you, if you de-sire a cure from your diseases, to imme-diately write him all about your case. It will cost you nothing to get his very valu-able advice.

Licensed to Wed.

Marriage licenses have been issued to the following persons: Henry C. Fashbaugh and Clara F. Miesmer, Crystal Springs. Albert L. Wood and Minuie M. Myers, Alliance.

John C. Myers and Frances F. Gurney, Waynesburg. F. L. Boosinger and Armanda E. Surbey, New Berlin. Frank Sigler and Dalsy Faxon, Alliance. Jerry Coyle and Ida Mangus, Alliance,

Annie House and Mollie Breitenstein, Alliance Fred H. Sander and Minnie Shotsman, Canton.

The patients at the Aultman hospital

IN15 MINUTES. I suffered severely with face neuralgia, but in 15 minutes after application of Sr. JACOBS OIL was asleep have not been troubled with it since. No return since 1382. F. B. ADAMS, Perry, Mo. "ALL RIGHT I ST. JACOBS OIL DID IT."

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The Republicans Steal a Seat in the House.

Hon. B. F. Weybrecht Ousted and W. H. Rowlen Seated.

Steals Ever Known. Had the Investigation Been at All Fair, Mr. Weybrecht Would Still be a Mem-

Particulars of One of the Boldest

ber of the House. COLUMBUS, March 16 .- [Special.]-The

House this morning by a strict party vote ousted Benjamin F. Weybrecht and seated W. H. Rowlen. This is one of the most bare faced steals ever known. Paxton, Democrat of Clermont, was seated. PARTICULARS OF THE STEAL.

COLUMBUS, March 16.-[Special.]-The Weybrecht-Rowlen contest came in the House at eleven o'elock. Mr. Strock of the committee on elections made the majority report, affirming that Mr. Rowlen was elected by nine votes. The report was very lengthty and discussed the peculiarities of ballots they claimed were irregularly cast for Weybrecht or irregularly not counted for Rowlen. The minority report was presented by Representative Price of Hocking, and was an able and comprehensive legal argument, showing that Mr. Weybrecht was elected by a clear majority of 15. The evidence was gone into and dis-

cussed, and showed that, proceeding on the theory of the majority report, even, Mr. Weybrecht was elected. The minority report showed that had the argument of the contestor been carried out all the way through it would demonstrate that Mr. Weybrecht's election was beyond a cavil of a doubt. The majority report however, simply considered the evidence and the ballotf that could be counted on irregularities in Mr. same rule to Weybrecht's vote. It was ever been known. It was noon before the reading of the minority report was

After the reading of the minority report the House recessed until 2:30 p. m. when Mr. Weybrecht will be heard on the ques-

WEYBRECHT'S DEFENSE OF PEOPLE'S

RIGHTS. COLUMBUS, March 16.-[Special.]-When the legislature reassembled this afternoon instead of taking up the contest case it was postponed for half an nour while other matters were considered. Mr. Weyrecht was then recognized and mads a wonderfully brilliant, able speech in his own behalf. It was a revelation and a surprise to all. They did not know what was in him, or what the Legislature was drpriving itself of in turning down a man elected by the people, who was possessed of such magnificent attributes. Mr. Weybrecht con-

A CHICAGO SUEPRISE. Ex-Governor Campbell Looks For It. CHICAGO, March 16.-[Special.]-Ex-Governor Campbell in an interview here, expresses the belief that Hill's Southern our will strengthen his candidacy but believes Cleveland can command more

votes in convention. The Ohio State delegation, I believe, will be largely for Cleveland," he said, "Hill may have some of the districts, but the majority will prefer Cleveland. It is not at all cerain that either Cleveland or Hill will be nominated. In fact, it is quite probable that the nomination will be given to a Western man. There are plenty of able and desirable men in the West, and perhaps it will prove a way to combine the factions in New York. It is likely that it will be a convention of surprises, and there is no telling who will be the successful man."

BOLTING DEMOCRATS

Raise \$100,000 to Defeat Hill For Presi-New York, March 16 .- [Special.]-The polting New York Democrate have about raised a \$100,000 fund to work up the Syracuse convention and carry the campaign into Chicago, to defeat Hill for the Presidential nomination.

Of this sum Ex-Secretary Fairchild gare \$10,000 and Mayor Grace \$5,000. A contribution of \$20,000 has been subscribed by a prominent anti-Hill man, conditional upon the raising of \$80,000 additional. This man, it is openly given out, is ex-Secretary Whitney.

sumers and producers.

Better Woolens for Our People. WASHINGTON, March 16 .- [Special.]-From the number of Representatives already on the list as desiring to speak on the Free Wool bill, there is little likelihood of a vote being reached this month, Before the debate on the Wool bill is finished the Silver bill will come up, next Tuesday being the day fixed for its consideration. The Democrats are receiving great strength from unexpected sources, showing that the McKinley tariff bill has burt the wool interests in this country and built up a gigantic shoddy manufactory, to the injury alike of manufacturers, con-

The patients at the Aultman hospital

For two years I suffered with kidney,
are all doing well today and will recover.

Hyer and bladder disease in its worst form.

Physicians said my case was hopeless. My liver refused to act and my stomach would not digest any food. Swamp-Root entirely cured me. R. Titler, Oakwood, O. For sale by Durbin, Wright & Co.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Democratic Primaries Next Saturday Between 1 and 7 p. m.

We are authorized to announce the folowing persons for the office under which their names appear:

COUNCIL Ward 1—HENRY WARNER.
Ward 2—WILL H. COOPER,
J. A. DILLON,
W. W. FIELDING.
Ward 3—JACOB MOTTER.
Ward 4—AL. SHERRICK.
J. A. RUSSELL.
GOTTLIEB EICHER.
Ward 6—JOS. WAGNER.
BOARD OF EDUCATION.
Ward 1—ISAAC HARTER.

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—A. LEININGER.

Ward 2—JOHN McGREGOR.

Ward 3-DANIEL BISCHOFF, JR. Ward 3-DANIEL BISCHOFF, JR. Ward 4-GUSTAVE GESSWEIN. Ward 5-A. O SLEN'IZ. Ward 6-JOHN DICE. -J. L. VAN HATTEN. ASSESSOR Ward 1—CHARLES M. HENRY. Ward 2—FRANK MANLY. Ward 3—FRED S. TALBOT. Ward 4—JOSEPH H. DEVILLE. Ward 5—J. M. MYERS.

Canton precinct—DAVID F. BANKER.
No. Industry—JAC. H. LONGABAUGH. District No. 3, Canton precinct— District No. 4 Canton Precinct— FREDERICK LEHMILLER.

HENRY BAKER. TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES. VAL. REBHOLTZ. JOSEPH TROUT. ALBERT RINGLES
JACOB H. REIGNER.

CARPENTER'S GERRYMANDER. The Fifteen to Six Bill Set For Thurs-

day Night's Caucus. COLUMBUS, March 16 .- [Special.]-The Republican committee had a report on the revision of the Carpenter redistricting bill all ready for the caucus fixed for last night, Said bill gives the Republicans fifteen Congressmen and the Democrats

But when the caucus met in the Judiciary room bad blood developed and the authority of the sub-committee selected to report was openly questioned. A tilt arose between Griffen of Toledo, who was Rowlen's favor and did not apply the reading the report and Taylor of Guernsey, his associate and the result was the therefore evidently one sided and unfair day night. Considerable bad blood has been postponement of the caucus until Thursand as clear a case of count out as has developed among the Republicans over the apportionment and there is not a liklihood of great unanimity. Stark, Columbiana and Mahoning are lumped together that some able bodied high mucky-muck protectionist may have a wafk away.

A BROKEN LIMB.

Mr. J. L. Smith Meets With a Painful Ac-

cident This Morning. J. L. Smith, who runs a printing establishment at No. 13 East Fifth street, met with a peculiar accident this morning at about 7:30 o'clock. He was standing on a pile of ashes in the rear of his place of business, cogitating as to what disposition he would make of them when a portion of the pile gave way. His right leg went down and his left leg remained up on the top of the pile. This occasioned such a strain that the right leg was broken just above the ankle. The limb had, about 15 years ago, been broken just below the break of today. Dr. Catlin was summoned and Mr. Smith, who is 77 years of age was taken to his room, No. 20 Saxton block, where the injured member was set. On account of his extreme age the member will be some time in healing. Mr. Smith is hale and hearty. For a number of years past he has eaten nothing, living on a milk diet exclusively. He drinks two quarts of milk a day, which is all the sus-

tenance he requires. Marriage of a Former Canton Gentleman. Mr. E. E. Helman, a former well known resident of New Lisbon, now of Washington, D. C., and Miss Laura Graham, of Cleveland, are to be married on the 22nd inst., at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. Helman is one of the brightest young men that ever left New Lisbon, and the bride is the niece of ex-Treasurer Jesu Kepner, a handsome and accomplished young lady. Hosts of friends will wish for them a prosperous and happy life journey.
—New Lisbon Journal.

To Send Him to England.

Joe Lumb and his family of two children. remained over night again at police headquarters, Lumb is an Englishman and seems unable to secure employment, on account of being hampered with the children. He is an honest, hard working man and deserving of the sympathy of all. An effort is being made by the Humane society to send him and his children to England where he has children to Englan-relatives and friends,

No further word has been received in Canton concerning the illness of Mr. James Campbell who is sojourning in Fiorida. Mr. Charles Campbell will arrive there at 3 o'clock tomorrow.

Swift's Specific is a distinctive remedy. and is totally unlike any of the other blood medicines which are sold. It cures diseases of the blood and skin by removing the poison germs which cause them, and at the same time supplies good blood and tissue for the wasted parts. Don't be imposed on by substitutes, which are said to be just as good, for it is not

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has performed as many wonderful cures, or has relieved so much suffering. "My blood was badly poisoned last year, which got my whole system out of order—discused, and a constant source of suffering, no appetite, and no enjoyment of life. I bought two bottles of Swift's Specific and soot it, and it brought me right out. No better remedy was ever used for blood discussions in Swift's Specific." Jegu Gavis, Dayton, Ohlo.

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